

# ALUMNAE NEWS LETTER

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## ALUMNAE ELECTION OF OFFICERS

The annual election of officers of the Alumnae Association was held at the regular meeting of the Association on December 6, 1938, at Sprague Home. The new officers are:

Charlotte Landt, '11, President.  
Almo Foerster, '10, 2nd Vice-Pres.  
Dorothy Van Gorp, '24, Treasurer.  
Ethel Holbrook, '22, Director  
Esther Sunderman, '34, Director.

Miss Landt is Night Supervisor at Cook County Hospital. Miss Foerster is instructor in Public Health Nursing at Presbyterian. Miss Holbrook and Miss Sunderman are private duty nurses.

These officers, as well as those holding over in office, deserve the support of every Alumna, for at this particular time a solidly united Alumnae Association can be of invaluable help to the School and Hospital. It is urged that all Alumnae living in or near Chicago show their interest in their own organization by making an attempt to attend the regular meetings. These are held at Sprague Home the first Tuesday of every month, in alternate afternoons of policy come up for discussion and decision, and every member should be sufficiently interested in these problems to come and use her voting power and privilege. The next meeting will be February 7, at 7:00 P.M. at Sprague Home.

At the December meeting, those present united in a standing vote of thanks to Marie Harden, '29, the retiring President, for her untiring work in that capacity during the past two years.

At the January Alumnae meeting at Sprague Home, Miss Dora Cornelisen, Field Representative of the American Journal of Nursing, was present, and gave a most interesting talk on the value of the Journal and the many noon and evening meetings. Many mat-ways in which it can be used to keep

us in touch with new developments in our profession. She also met with the Senior class for an hour's discussion of the same subject.

The Private Duty Nurses section held their highly successful bazaar in Presbyterian Hospital lobby on November 7, at which coffee, doughnuts, and sandwiches were sold in addition to the many articles contributed for sale at the bazaar. The sum of \$750 was cleared, which will be added to their Private Duty Nurse Fund.

Those attending the Alumnae Luncheon in honor of Miss McMillan and the graduating class on October 11 at the Palmer House, were impressed with the tribute paid Miss McMillan by Estalene Spears, President of the class. We print it here because it so well expresses the feeling we all have for Miss McMillan.

"Miss McMillan and Members of the Alumnae:

It is with gratitude that I accept this opportunity to communicate to you the thoughts that are in the minds of each member of the Graduating Class of 1938.

We wish to pay tribute today to our much esteemed Director of Nurses, Miss McMillan. It is not only for us that she has worked tirelessly for years, but for every interested member of the profession. It is scarcely necessary to mention that the amazing strides in nursing standards and education are due in part to her efforts. Inspiration to the inexperienced such as we are, must surely come from some one who has unrelentingly and capably followed an ideal. There is no one here who would but say that Miss McMillan has honored every commandment and phase of that greatest of all pledges for nurses, the 'Florence Nightingale Pledge.' It follows then that Miss McMillan is our inspiration to a fuller and more worthy career in the field of nursing. I say in behalf of my classmates that we shall never forget this



influence we have felt for three years, and that its effect will always be an inspiration to our best efforts wherever we may be, or under whom we may work.

We thank the Alumnae of the Presbyterian Hospital School of Nursing for their very successful efforts in helping to make this graduation time a memorable time in our lives. We are proud to be entertained by you, and look forward to participation in the activities of the Alumnae."

### HELENA McMILLAN EDUCATIONAL FUND

In the October Hospital Bulletin, announcement was made of the amount contributed at that time to the Helena McMillan Educational Fund, which then was approximately \$4,000. Contributions to this Fund are still being constantly received, and it is the hope of every Alumna as well as other friends of the School, that this Fund will continue to increase in the future as rapidly as it has in the short time since it was begun. The Fund is to be controlled entirely by the Alumnae Association. To quote from Miss Landt's speech at the announcement of the Fund, at the Alumnae Luncheon on October 11, this Fund is to "assist in safeguarding those educational standards and policies for which Miss McMillan struggled through the years. She would wish for no more lasting demonstration of our loyalty and our earnestness of purpose than a solemn vow from a united graduate body to uphold her ideals and promote her standards of nursing education and nursing practice."

The balance on hand on January 3, 1939, is approximately \$4,324.

Checks may be made payable to the "Helena McMillan Educational Fund" and sent to 1750 West Congress Street, Chicago.

### PRESBYTERIAN LUNCHEON IN CALIFORNIA

Desse Greek '14 who attended the American Legion Convention in Los Angeles in September, very much enjoyed meeting many other Pres graduates in that vicinity at a luncheon at the Wilshire Bowl, Wilshire Boulevard, on September 27. Those present were: Dorothy Ainsworth '25; Mrs. Blanda Simpson Mier '14; Mrs. Helen Melges Doehring '26; Myrtle Walters '26; Vera Svaty '23; Made-

line Swetland '29; Anita Gelber Fredericks, M.D. '19; Mrs. Romona Burch MacCallum '25; Mrs. Teresa Moran O'Gorman '20; Mrs. Mary Livingston Proctor '25; Elsie Carroll '18; Mrs. Esther Melges Roche '29; Ola Terhune '20; Carlanthia Parks '19; Helen Rutherford Ware '12; Agnes Wilson '23; Edna Quigley Rhone '27.

### ALUMNAE ACTIVITIES

#### 1907

Alma Ham Scott attended the Illinois State Nurses Convention October 19-22 at the Stevens Hotel in Chicago, and spoke at the Saturday morning session. Mrs. Scott is Headquarters Director of the American Nurses Association, with offices at 50 West 50th Street, New York City. She was kept very busy while here with committee meetings as well as with visits with old friends.

#### 1910

Since May, Jane Walter Coon has been in charge of the X-Ray and Laboratory work in the Firestone Hospital, in Liberia, West Africa. Communications for her may be sent to her sister, Lora Walter, at 2917 Webster Street, Fort Wayne, Indiana.

#### 1912

Mildred Eldred writes that she is chief aide of the Physio-Therapy department of the U.S. Veteran's Facility at Whipple, Arizona, and enjoys not only her work, but also the climate. She sends greetings to all her old friends.

#### 1915

Pauline Keeler visited at the School on November 5. She is doing industrial nursing with the Standard Oil Company at Whiting, Indiana.

#### 1920

Grace Lawrence received her Bachelor of Science degree at Columbia in 1937 and has since been Director-Supervisor of Public Health Nursing in the field demonstration unit of Harvard in the Newton Health Department.

#### 1921

Mary Bricker is spending a semester in the School of Public Health Nursing at Western Reserve University in Cleveland, Ohio.

Dorothy Rogers has returned after spending part of her leave of absence from the Nursing Education Department of the University of Chicago in a trip to Europe.



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Ella Van Horn, Health Director at the School, was Chairman of Exhibits at the Illinois State Nurses Convention at the Stevens Hotel in Chicago, on October 19-22. Assisting on her committee were Jessie Stevenson and Coralynn Davis, both from the VNA, and Gertrude McCord '30, from Children's Memorial Hospital.

### 1922

Mrs. Helen Munson, Associate Editor of the American Journal of Nursing, attended the Illinois State Nurses Convention in October and visited with friends in the city.

### 1923

Isla Knight writes the following letter from "Rokeby" Landanu, Mussoorie, U.P., India: "Have been enjoying these months in India, supervising work in the Baby Fold, doing some teaching in the Mothercraft school, and attempting to learn a new language. A week ago I came up to Landanu, a hill station in the Himalaya mountains, to spend a few months. From here we have a beautiful view of the lowlands in one side and on the other the snow capped mountain peaks. Came up both to escape the heat of the plains which has already been up to 108 in Bareilly, and to have the advantage of attending language school. My day starts bright and early with one private language teacher 6-7 A.M., another 8-9 A.M., and four class hours in school beginning at 10:30. Once a week some of us have an extra class to study medical terms. Trust all continues well with you. Occasionally I receive letters from friends, and Hospital Bulletins. They bring welcome news from there."

### 1926

Irene Eby, who is doing Public Health work in Dental Nursing in Peoria, Illinois, was a delegate to the Illinois State Nurses Convention in October.

### 1928

Emma Hellekson Frey left the Alaskan Indian Service in December, 1937, and enrolled at the University of Minnesota for work toward her degree. In October, 1938, she was offered the position of district supervisor for the Wisconsin State Board of Health, and will have her headquarters at Rhineland. She spent some time in October at Ashland, Wisconsin, with Dr. Ruth Church.

### 1929

Dr. Ruth Church writes: "I am employed by the Wisconsin State Board of Health, Bureau of Maternal and Child Health, and am located in the district office in Ashland. There are excellent openings for nurses interested in Public Health work in Wisconsin. Anyone interested should write to Miss Cornelia Van Koog, Director of Bureau of Public Health Nursing, State Capitol, Madison. Best regards to all."

Ruth Sperling was transferred this fall from the Indian Service at Tacoma, Washington, to the U.S. Indian Hospital at Telihiina, Oklahoma.

Margaret Handlin from East Moline, Illinois, was another out-of-town delegate to the Illinois State Nurses Convention in October.

Jeannette Veldman, who is a missionary under the Reformed Church of Christ in China, at Kulangsu, Amoy, Fukien, China, writes that they have been very busy at their station since last May 11, when the Japanese took the city. They have been treating the wounded, giving food and shelter, carrying on classes, and attempting their usual activities with gunfire all around them. Her father was kind enough to send on her letter, with interesting booklets, pictures, and other material, to the Hospital office, where it is available.

Mrs. Virginia Patterson Tremayne is now Head Nurse on 2nd Lower Floor.

### 1930

Mildred Kisling began her duties as Medical, Surgical, and Pediatric Supervisor at Salem General Hospital, Salem, Oregon, on January 3.

Gladys Heikens began her work as City Health Nurse in Hinsdale, Illinois, the middle of December.

Sylvia Bosh who is at Margaret Pillsbury Memorial Hospital, Concord, New Hampshire, visited at Sprague Home during the holidays.

### 1931

Mrs. Valeska Behrens Budd has resigned as Head Nurse on 2nd Lower Floor.

Margaret Burkwall, who has done mission work in China, and is now doing work for her Master's degree in obstetrical nursing at Western Reserve University in Cleveland, Ohio, visited the School during the holidays.



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### 1932

Dorothy MacEachern, who is office nurse for her father in Rochelle, Illinois, visited the School on November 7.

### 1933

Marian Lambert, who has been doing V. N. A. work in New York City, resigned her position in September to begin her pre-medical work at New York University. Her address is 230 East 71st Street. She paid a brief visit to Sprague Home in November.

Ruth Tombaugh Kuhn, of East Lansing, Michigan, visited at the School at Christmas time.

Johanna De Vries, who is doing Hospital mission work at Madanapalle, South India, has written Miss Russell quite an account of her activities, and mentions that they are very proud of finally getting their hospital fully screened, as it is one of a very few so equipped. Miss De Vries encloses a photograph of her first ride on an elpehant as proof that she really did do it.

### 1935

Helen Donner Whiley wrote in October that she and her husband were in Paris, France, for 6 months language study before going to the Cameroon in mission work. She mentioned that their sight-seeing was being somewhat interrupted by the war preparations at that time.

Dorothy Voltz is a student in the Nursing Department at the University of Chicago.

### 1936

Mary Belle Taylor visited at the School on October 17, on her way to the Cameroon in South Africa to do hospital and mission work.

Doris Leavens French of New Castle, Pennsylvania, visited at Sprague Home at holiday time.

### 1937

Harriet Woods, who is doing VNA work in Detroit, Michigan, visited at Sprague Home on October 16.

Dorothy Yates is Head Nurse on 3rd Lower Floor.

Naidiene Kinney began Infant Welfare Work in Chicago on January 3.

Dorothy Winans began VNA work in Chicago the first of the year.

Helen Schwede is doing VNA in Chicago.

Maxine McCormick is doing Infant Welfare work in Chicago.

### 1938

Florence Ingram has returned to her home in Mexico after completing her training in October. Her address is: Hospital Latino Americano, Calle 15 Sur, 307-306, Puebla, Pue., Mexico.

Lois Marsilje completed her training in December, and left the first of the year for mission work in Scudder Memorial Hospital, Ranipettai, South India.

### MARRIAGES

Gladys Kartzke '28 to Mr. Adolph S. Franksen on September 17, 1938, at Winona Lake, Indiana. At home, 2632 Central Park Avenue, Evanston, Illinois.

Elizabeth Le Mae Cole '25 to Mr. Walter Peterson on November 5, 1938, at Chicago.

Margaret Learned to Mr. John Earl Ford on January 1, 1939, at La Grange, Illinois.

Thea Catherine Krattebol '35 to Mr. Otto William Litt on September 17, 1938, in Chicago.

Raunie Seline '38 to Mr. Paul H. Brown, M.D., on Dec. 3 in Chicago. They sailed on December 22 for Honolulu, where Dr. Brown will take his internship at Queen's Hospital. Mrs. Brown will be employed at Queen's Hospital until they leave for the mission field in Africa.

### BIRTHS

Ronald Carl to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Menchhofer (Margaret Gottfried '19) on November 2, in Celina, Ohio.

Barbara to Mr. and Mrs. Henry De Laney (Iva Lowry '30) on November 2, at Presbyterian Hospital.

Joan Elizabeth to Dr. and Mrs. Edgar Gordon (Lola Gray '31) on September 22, at Madison, Wisconsin.

Phillip to Mr. and Mrs. Russell McLeren (Zelah King '32) on September 19, at Presbyterian Hospital.

Theodore Charles to Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Paul (Elma Wuertz '33) on September 28, at Wichita, Kansas.

Lee Ann to Dr. and Mrs. T. T. Myers (Lee Anna Todd '33) on November 22 at Marysville, Kansas.

Sharon Scott to Mr. and Mrs. William Young (Sallie Scott '37) on December 15, at Birmingham, Alabama.

### DEATHS

The sincere sympathy of the Alumnae Association is extended to Charlotte Landt, '11, whose mother passed away at Presbyterian Hospital on Dec. 31st.



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## MISS ROGERS NAMED AS NEW DIRECTOR

It is with very sincere pleasure that everyone learns of the appointment of Miss Dorothy Rogers '21 as the Director of the School of Nursing and of the nursing service of the Presbyterian Hospital. She will take over her duties on September 1, and a warm welcome awaits her.

Since Miss Rogers' graduation from the School of Nursing, she has had valuable and varied experience along both administrative and educational lines, and will come to us in the fall from her present position as assistant professor of nursing education at the University of Chicago.

The Alumnae Association is most happy to offer congratulations and best wishes to Miss Rogers for her success in her new capacity.

## HOSPITAL BULLETIN

Following the announcement in the October, 1938, Alumnae News Letter that the Hospital Bulletin would be sent monthly to all who were interested in subscribing at 50c annually, Mrs. Hyde, the editor of the Bulletin, reported that she had received a number of subscriptions from Alumnae of the School who were interested in keeping in touch with the Hospital in this way. The Alumnae News Letter, which is edited four times a year, is sent to all graduates of the School who belong to the Alumnae Association, whether they are active, associate, non-resident, or missionary members. If any such member is not receiving her News Letter regularly, it may be because her address is not correctly listed in our file, and the Editor of the News Letter will be more than happy to be notified of any such changes. To those graduates of the School who do not belong to the Alumnae Association, the News Letter will be sent on payment of 50c annual subscription price.

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

We are pleased to present the following message from Charlotte Landt, the new president of the Alumnae Association:

Sister Alumnae:

Last October we solemnly pledged ourselves to uphold those standards and ideals for which Miss McMillan struggled as she directed the destinies of our School, its students, and its graduates. Let us now take stock of the many opportunities open to us for the fulfillment of our pledge.

First there is the privilege of membership in our Alumnae Association which can function effectively only to that degree to which its financial resources will permit it to do. These financial resources, in turn, are dependent solely upon Association memberships. With the first quarter of this current year practically ended, barely one-sixth of our graduates have either renewed their membership or enrolled as new members. During 1938 our total enrolment including all types of memberships did not exceed 606 members. Can it be possible that we are as indifferent to the welfare and future of our School, its students, and its graduate body as these figures would seem to indicate? Is this the extent of every graduate's interest, even in the face of this past year's events which have revealed the need for everyone's constructive thinking and loyal support? Is this the manner in which we intend to demonstrate our loyalty and devotion to everything that Miss McMillan cherished and considered vital to our own welfare and that of our Alma Mater? Is this the manner in which we are going to assure the incoming Director of our assistance and support? We should feel grateful that one of our own number was chosen for this very important position. Therefore let us rally to the aid of our Membership Committee



in bringing every graduate into the fold.

Next in importance to membership in our Association is active participation in all of its affairs, not the least of which are its regular meetings. An audience is essential if we are to have interesting programs. Hence, let us enthusiastically support our Social and Program Committee that its members may be assured of a large attendance rather than empty seats. The Committee will welcome any and all helpful suggestions in making our programs interesting and varied.

Chief among our many important projects may be found the following:  
The Helena McMillan Educational Fund.

The Mary M. Byrne Memorial Fund.

The Sick Benefit and Loan Fund.

The Scholarship Fund.

The School Library Fund.

The Alumnae News Letter.

The Weeks of Free Care Fund (For the care of our members residing in First District should they need to be hospitalized because of Tuberculosis).

Existing policies in connection with some of these projects may be in need of revision because of unforeseen changes in our entire local and national structure. Since great demands are made from time to time against certain of these Funds, it may become necessary to establish certain plans whereby a steady increase in each Fund would be assured. Each Fund is supervised and controlled by our Board of Directors together with custodial committees, but each individual member of our Association should feel it her duty to take an active part in the group's thinking and be prepared to offer constructive recommendations at the time of our Association meetings.

Charlotte Landt.

### MISSING ALUMNAE

When the attempt was made last fall to reach every graduate of the School in sending out the letters in regard to the Helena McMillan Educational Fund, many of the letters were returned unclaimed, some of them showing evidence of having been forwarded several times in vain. After much effort, many of these

graduates were located and their correct addresses and married names obtained. It was decided at that time, with so many names and addresses on hand, to establish a permanent file of every graduate of the School, regardless of whether she belonged to the Alumnae Association or not. This would be of valuable assistance to future committees in sending out invitations, announcements, and other School publicity of interest to all graduates, whether or not they were still actively engaged in nursing. Such a file is now being assembled and maintained at Sprague Home, with a cross-index for our married graduates, and it is hoped that it may be kept up to date from now on. Much credit is due the Fund committee for their heroic work in starting this file and completing it to its present stage. From now on we must depend on our graduates to keep us informed of their changed names and addresses.

The list of "lost" graduates sent out with our January News Letter was carefully compiled by Ella Van Horn '21, one of the members of the Fund committee. Quite a response has been obtained, but there are many still among the missing. We are very grateful for the information so far obtained, and hope that before long, every graduate will be located.

### ALUMNAE MEETINGS

The February and March Alumnae meetings, held at Sprague Home, have had a much better than usual attendance, and it is hoped this trend will continue, as there is much important business to transact. At the February meeting, the Alumnae Advisory Committee, with Eula Butzerin '14, as Chairman, gave their report, and the recommendations were fully discussed and approved. The tentative 1939 Alumnae budget was discussed and adopted, with some items left open, to be adjusted as necessary during the year. Following the resignation of Dolly Twitchell '12, as chairman of the Scholarship Committee, Gertrude McCord '30 was named as chairman. Marcella Kurtz '27 gave a brief outline of her plans for the year, as Chairman of the Social Committee.

At the March meeting, Dorothy Fischer '30 was named as First Vice-



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President and Chairman of the Membership Committee, following the resignation of Alice Studer '35. Anita Foss '27 was appointed to the Board of Directors to fill the unexpired term of Ethel Holbrook '22. Miss Holbrook is serving out the unexpired term of Evelyn Seegmiller '27 as Corresponding Secretary. Millie Brown, Chairman of the Committee on Revision of the By-Laws, presented some changes in the wording of the By-Laws, which were adopted. Ebba Marie Schyttner '33 gave a dramatic reading after the business session.

### PICTURES

So many who were unable to attend the Alumnae luncheon last October 11 have inquired about the possibility of obtaining a copy of the photograph of Miss McMillan which was given to everyone present at the luncheon, that the Alumnae Association voted to make these pictures available to all desiring them. A print approximately 3½" by 4½" may be obtained for 35c, by sending the request and money to the Corresponding Secretary, 1750 West Congress Street, Chicago. The proceeds from these pictures will be added to the Helena McMillan Educational Fund, by vote of the Alumnae Association.

### ALUMNAE PLAY

After the lapse of a year or two the Alumnae Association is again planning to present its Spring Play. Try-outs were held at Sprague Home on March 14 for our dramatically inclined graduates, who are pleased to have the assistance and cooperation of the Interne staff in casting the play. Esther Bachmann '35 is in charge of try-outs. The play will be given sometime early in April, so watch for announcements of the exact time and place, and let us all give the players the whole-hearted interest and support they deserve. Proceeds are to go to the Mary Byrne Fund.

### ALUMNAE ACTIVITIES

#### 1918

Winifred Gasteyer Creevy is employed in the Hospital Pharmacy as assistant to Mr. Gray and Mr. Hutton.

#### 1923

Ellen Ekelund has charge of a Tuberculosis clinic at the Desert Mission, Phoenix, Arizona, which is under the auspices of the Presbyterian Home Missions Board. Her address is Route 6, Box 897, Phoenix.

#### 1925

Hazel Altmann is taking work at the University of Michigan toward obtaining her degree in August.

Dorothy Ainsworth has had the highly interesting work of being technical advisor on nursing details in a movie recently released in Hollywood by the M-G-M Company and called "Four Girls in White." Miss Ainsworth has been in the Medical Department of the film company for the last 6 months.

Altha Hallam writes that she is at present at the Convalescent Home of the Milwaukee Children's Hospital. She says it is "12 miles out in the country and a regular paradise, with 40 children, a full-time school teacher, full-time occupational therapist, physio-therapist, dental care, and a staff of 5 graduate nurses, 8 nurse aids, besides other help."

#### 1926

Pauline Fisher Brown writes from Buffalo, New York, where her husband Dr. Baxter Brown is practicing urology, that she keeps very busy with her 8-year-old daughter and 4-year-old son. She also mentions visiting frequently with Mary Holcomb, who is in Buffalo at the present time.

#### 1927

Evelyn Seegmiller, who has been an instructor and teaching supervisor at the School for several years, resigned in January to go to the Methodist Hospital in Des Moines, Iowa, as Assistant Superintendent of Nurses. She began her work there on February 1, and writes that she is keeping quite busy and finds her new duties very interesting.

#### 1928

Hazel Minnick Landis is doing missionary work under the board of the Church of the Brethren at the present time, and her address is Marawa via Jos, Nigeria, West Africa.

Nelle Crout is working at present in the Electrocardiograph Laboratory at Presbyterian Hospital.



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### 1929

Margaret Morgan, who has been in the Examining Room at the Hospital since last September, resigned in February to begin her duties the first of March as Director of Nurses, Battle Creek Community Association Hospital, Battle Creek, Michigan.

Lois Morrow Good writes from Bermuda, where her husband is stationed with the British army, that she is very much enjoying the life there. After another year in Bermuda, they expect to leave for England.

### 1931

Florence Mall has been employed for the past year as a courier nurse for the Santa Fe railroad, on their trains between Chicago and Los Angeles.

### 1932

Mary Catherine Davidson is taking a year's course in anesthesia at Cornell Medical Center, New York City.

### 1936

Grace Myers Chapin writes that she is working in the dental clinic of the Boston Dispensary, while her husband, Dr. Marvin Chapin, is intern-ing at the Forsyth Dental Infirmary. Her address is 70 Burbank Street, Boston, Massachusetts.

### 1938

Gertrude Ernst is at present a patient at Edwards Sanitarium, Naperville.

Anna Christensen is stationed at Carlinville, Illinois, and is engaged in an orthopedic survey of the surrounding counties under the direction of the Orthopedic Department of the Illinois State Board of Health.

Madelon Reeves has joined the School staff as Instructor and Medical Supervisor on 3rd Floor.

Hila Richards has joined the School staff as assistant to Miss Van Horn in the Health Service department.

Margaret Corliss is employed as Chief Nurse of the Medical Clinics of the Salvation Army at their headquarters in Chicago

Doris Gates is employed in the Anglo-American Hospital in Havana, Cuba. Her address is Calle 2 y 15, Dedada.

### BIRTHS

Charles Edmund to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sullivan (Nelvina Wassenaar '30) on December 30, 1938, at Brighton, Massachusetts.

Diana Lee to Mr. and Mrs. Orville Knight (Dorothy Lee '35) on February 10 at Presbyterian.

Raymond Colvin to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Young (Helen Colvin '36) on January 28 at Presbyterian Hospital.

Lester Merillat to Mr. and Mrs. Lester Westerman (Thelma Merillat '31) on February 8 at Presbyterian Hospital.

Frank Metcalf to Dr. and Mrs. Carl Hammerstrom (Mary Metcalf '35) on January 12, at Jamestown, New York.

Jane Elizabeth to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Spersrud (Esther Gatzke '31) on June 29, 1938, at Evansville, Wisconsin.

Loren Charles to Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Barnes (Maybelle Anderson '29) of 1116 Washington Boulevard, Oak Park, on June 20, 1938.

Mary Jane to Dr. and Mrs. John E. Freeland (Ruby Robinson '29) on February 28, at Presbyterian Hospital.

### MARRIAGES

Guinevere Hubbard '31 to Mr. Claude E. Willoughby on December 31, 1938, at Evansville, Wisconsin. At home in Evansville. Mrs. Willoughby was formerly Boone County nurse, in Belvidere, Illinois.

### CARD OF THANKS

My sister and I wish to acknowledge with grateful appreciation the floral tributes and all the kindness shown us by members of the School Faculty and the Alumnae Association during the illness and death of our dear mother.

Charlotte Landt, President.



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## Alumnae News and Views from Everywhere

### MESSAGE TO ALUMNAE MEMBERS

Since there appears to be confusion in the interpretation of our Alumnae Association's five classes of membership, it may be wise to review them briefly in order that all graduates of our School may understand what is meant by the terms: Active; Associate; Non-Resident; Tentative; and Honorary.

**ACTIVE:** Any graduate of the School of Nursing of the Presbyterian Hospital in good standing, who resides within the area covered by the First District of the Illinois State Nurses Association, is eligible for active membership if she has taken her State Board Examinations and has maintained her State registration.

First District includes all of Cook, Lake, and Du Page Counties. All graduates of our School, in good standing, registered, and actively engaged in nursing of any type, and in any location within the limits of Cook, Lake, and Du Page Counties, are expected to hold ACTIVE memberships in their Alumnae Association in order to maintain their membership in the First District, State, and National organizations, since active membership dues include not only their Alumnae memberships, but also membership in First District, State and National Associations.

**ASSOCIATE:** This type of membership does not apply to our graduates actively engaged in nursing anywhere within Cook, Lake, or Du Page Counties, as it does not carry with it a membership in the First District, State, and National Associations.

If you hold an Associate Membership and are actively engaged in nursing anywhere within the area described above, you are not a member of any other nursing organization unless you are paying individual membership dues therein. Certainly there is no graduate of the School of Nursing connected with the Presbyterian Hospital in Chi-

cago who does not wish to be a member of her State and National Associations if she is engaged in active nursing.

Associate Membership applies to those graduates of our School in good standing, who are not registered nurses and who are no longer actively engaged in nursing, but whose loyalty and interest in our School and its welfare inspires them to support their Alumnae Association and take an active part in its many worthy projects.

An Associate member "shall have all rights and privileges of active membership in all matters pertaining strictly to the Alumnae Association, except for the following restrictions: She may not hold office, become a member of the Board of Directors, nor vote on matters pertaining to the First District, the State or National nursing organizations with which this Association is or may become affiliated."

An Associate member, however, may participate in all committee or Alumnae activities that have to do with Alumnae affairs. Her attendance at Alumnae meetings and all other Alumnae functions is earnestly solicited. The Alumnae Association needs the good will and assistance of all those graduates residing in Cook, Lake, and Du Page Counties who are no longer active in nursing, fully as much as it needs the support of its Active members. It is in dire need of the moral and financial support of all graduates, in good standing, of our School, regardless of what their classification as to membership may be.

**NON-RESIDENT:** This type of membership includes "any graduate of the School of Nursing of the Presbyterian Hospital in good standing and registered" who does not reside in the First District of the Illinois State Association. "She shall have all rights and privileges of active membership in all matters pertaining to the Alumnae Association. She shall be eligible for



membership to the State and National organizations through the District in which she resides," whether it be in Illinois or in any other State or Territory included in the American Nurses Association.

**TENTATIVE:** This type of membership is reserved only for those new graduates of the School of Nursing of the Presbyterian Hospital, residing in First District, "who within six months after graduation have filed application for State Board Examination and have signified their intention to become Active or Non-Resident members upon receipt of their R. N. Tentative members shall be dropped from this membership if not transferred to Active or Non-Resident membership within the specified time."

**HONORARY:** This type of membership is a self-explanatory term, and may be conferred "upon anyone whom the Alumnae Association desires to honor for distinguished service and valuable assistance to the profession."

It may be well to call the attention of all Alumnae members to the fact that "applicants elected to membership or re-instated at any meeting after October 1st of any year shall be exempt from payment of dues for the year following that for which dues accompany the application."

Let us all rally to the support of the Membership Committee, and adopt as our slogan, "A new member for every member by January 1, 1940."

Charlotte F. Landt, President.

### ALUMNAE PLAY

The Alumnae Play "Wedding Spells" which was presented on May 1 and 2 at the Chicago Woman's Club Theatre, was a great success, both artistically and financially. Approximately \$300 was cleared. Candy and flowers which were sold between acts by some of the student nurses, added to the income and gave a gay touch to the scene. All the players were exceptionally good in their parts, and were enthusiastically applauded by the large audiences. The cast included: Hila Richards, '38; Esther Bachmann, '35; Helen Stidd, '38; Virginia Davis, '37; Margaret Lee Kesler, '33; Mildred Schlekau, '37; Mildred Richardson, '38; Dr. G. Kaufman; Dr. Ralph Hibbs; Dr. E. L. Smith; Dr. C. B. Davis, Jr.; Dr. Michael O'Heeron.

Dr. Frank Van Kirk, Jr., was stage manager.

Marcella Kurtz, '27, was chairman of the play committee, assisted by Gertrude McCord, '30; Maxine McCormick, '37; Esther Bachmann, '35; Kathryn Froscher, '35; Alma Stewart, '21; Mary Dunlap, '23; and Florence Coon, '27.

Music was furnished both evenings by a trio made up of Miriam Fairbanks, '37, and Lucile George, and Diantha Warfel, both students in the School.

To all who assisted, the following letter is addressed: The Alumnae Association of the School of Nursing, of Presbyterian Hospital wishes to thank most sincerely everyone who gave so generously of their time and effort in making the benefit performance of "Wedding Spells" the outstanding success which it was. The proceeds from this play, after all expenses are paid, will be added to the Mary M. Byrne Memorial Fund.

Charlotte F. Landt, President.

### VACATION AT BEREA

Miss Russell and her sister, Miss Rosamond Russell, enjoyed a little vacation at Boone Tavern, Berea, Kentucky, the latter part of May. Miss Russell sent the School a beautiful Chinese Checker board, made by the students at Berea. From Kentucky, they planned to go to Cincinnati for a brief visit with Miss Mary Cutler '16, before returning to Sprague Home.

### JUNE ALUMNAE MEETING

The June Alumnae meeting promises to be a very memorable occasion—for Marjorie Ibsen '26, Superintendent of Nurses at Highland Park Hospital, has invited the group to be her guests for supper on the Hospital grounds on June 6. She has also arranged a garden tour for the group before supper. If the weather-man will cooperate, we know every person who attends will enjoy herself thoroughly. We all appreciate this kind invitation.

### INSTITUTE TEA

During the Private Duty Nurses' Institute held on March 30 and 31 in the West Side Medical Center, our Private Duty Nurses section were hostesses at a tea given for the visitors at Sprague Home on Saturday after-



noon, which was very well attended. Millie Brown '09, Bertha Gaeckle '28, and Marie Harden '29 were in charge of arrangements, and the guests were greeted by Miss Russell and Miss Forrest. Also helping to pour were Charlotte Landt '11, Ella Van Horn, '21; and Lottie Swalem '19.

## PRES BREAKFAST

During the Convention of the National League of Nursing Education, which was held at New Orleans April 22-28, several of our graduates met at a reunion breakfast on Friday morning and enjoyed an hour of chatting about the days when all were students at their beloved Alma Mater. Those present were: Mary Cutler '16; Carol Martin '06; Janet F. Korngold '24; Edith Potts '21; Ida McDonald '31; Mildred Lunde '22; Helen Munson '22; Sylvia Melby '26; Adeline Hendricks '24; Lila Anderson '29; Irma Anderson Selman '33; Alice Richards '29 and Charlotte Landt '11.

## 1910

Alma Foerster resigned her position as Instructor in Public Health Nursing at the School to take up her new work as head nurse of the clinics in the outpatient department at Children's Memorial Hospital on May 1.

## 1911

Charlotte Landt attended the Convention of the National League of Nursing Education at New Orleans in April, and read a paper on the "Problems of the Postgraduate Course in Nursing as Related to the Hospital School."

## 1917

Katherine Schimelfenig Waterland writes from Springfield, Pennsylvania, that she is contemplating resuming some form of nursing activity in the near future.

## 1921

Ella Van Horn spent several days in Rockford, Illinois, the middle of May, at the State Medical Association Convention, in charge of a Nursing Education exhibit. While there she had an opportunity to visit with Cleon Meythaler Sagona '38, who is now living in Rockford. She also saw Florence Carlson Holmquist '19, who lives in Rockford.

Clarisse Galloway is taking a "brush-up" course at Presbyterian.

We are in receipt of a very interesting letter from Hazel Taylor, who is at Margaret Williamson Hospital at 850 Route de Zikawei, Shanghai, China. She relates some of the hardships of the war and says that their old buildings were ruined. They are carrying on their Hospital, their Nursing and their Medical Schools in rented buildings in the French quarter. They have 110 beds, 40 nursing students, and 27 women medical students, all very crowded, but happy to have some place to live and study in preparation for helping their people. They have opened a new clinic in the International Settlement, and also a new Maternity unit in the center of the city. In the midst of all the destruction and desolation, they are glad to receive news from time to time of the good their students are doing in helping the people in scattered areas in China.

## 1922

Ethel Holbrook, our Corresponding Secretary, left for Tucson, Arizona, in May for a long and much needed rest and vacation. She writes that she has seen Agnes Link '23 and Adelaide Rice '23, both of whom are in Tucson.

## 1923

Ellen Ekelund writes from the Desert Mission at Phoenix, Arizona, that she is feeling fine and enjoying her work a great deal. She attended a tea and reception for Clara Peterson Owens '25, who formerly lived there, with Gertrude Holton '24 and Gladys O'Harra '24.

## 1925

Clarice Boland Muilenberg of Lansing, Michigan, visited Sprague Home briefly the latter part of May.

Merle Love, of Denver, Colorado, visited at the School the last of May.

## 1927

Sylvia Jacobson Dexter is planning to return to Presbyterian for a "brush-up" course early in June.

## 1928

Ruth Burr, of Tacoma, Washington, took care of her sister during the latter's illness at Presbyterian in April.

Leona Diehl and Nelle Crout are relieving in the Nurses' Office this summer.

Beulah Dalton is taking some work at Columbia this summer and will return to her position at Christ Hospital, Cincinnati, in the fall.



## 1929

Margaret Morgan took a week-end off from her new duties as Superintendent of Nurses at Battle Creek Community Hospital to pay us a visit at the School the last of May.

## 1930

Dorothy Fisher was in charge of some of the nursing exhibits at the Tri-State Hospital Convention at the Stevens Hotel May 2-4.

## 1931

Mary Hamilton Fincke writes from Philadelphia that although she is not actively engaged in nursing, she keeps busy in ways related to nursing, and wants to maintain her interest by renewing her Associate membership.

Florence Mall, courier nurse for the Santa Fe Railroad, will be stationed for 3 months in the Santa Fe booth at the San Francisco Fair this summer.

## 1932

Mildred McKnight will begin her work as courier nurse for the Santa Fe Railroad March 30. She has the Chicago-Los Angeles run.

Evelyn Manchester Hall of Englewood, New Jersey, visited at Presbyterian on March 20.

Madeline Kneberg is associated with the Division of Anthropology of the University of Tennessee at Knoxville.

## 1933

Helen Mahr, formerly on 1st Hours in the Nurses' Office, began her new work as Instructor and Surgical Supervisor in the School of Nursing on May 1.

## 1934

Marjorie McNaughton Kermott visited the School in May. Dr. Kermott has finished his work at Mayos, and they were on their way to Spokane, Washington, to locate.

## 1937

Irmgaard Mahler, who is night supervisor of the Contagious Division of the New York Hospital, visited the School during her vacation in May.

## 1938

Lois Geerds has resigned from her duty at Presbyterian to accept a position at Blodgett Memorial Hospital in Grand Rapids, Michigan.

Fern Darling has resigned from her duty at Presbyterian and will begin her new duties at Blodgett Memorial in Grand Rapids, Michigan, June 1.

## BIRTHS

Edith Carolyn to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wegner (Mary Gobrecht '30) on January 10 at Mercy Hospital, Gary, Indiana.

Susanne Alice to Mr. and Mrs. A. Weber (Melba Bueker '34) on January 23 at Bremen, Indiana.

Joseph Robert to Dr. and Mrs. Robert Weaver (Leonora Ketchie '34) on March 19, at Presbyterian.

Judy Lynn to Dr. and Mrs. Daniel Baker (Merna Terrill '36) on May 2, at Sayre, Pennsylvania.

## MARRIAGES

Mary Don Smith '38 to Carmen Sutley on March 16, at 2nd Baptist Church, Chicago. Mrs. Sutley is 1st Hour nurse on B Lower.

Calla Mae Sherwood '22 to Philip Mayher Smith on April 29. At home, 153 Vine Street, Reedsburg, Wisconsin.

Lucy De Young '37 to Mr. Marvin Roesch on May 6 at Onaka, South Dakota. At home, Huron, South Dakota.

## SYMPATHY

The sympathy of the Alumnae Association is extended to:

Dr. and Mrs. Paul Swanson (Elizabeth Christensen '25) of Virginia, Minnesota, whose 3½ year old son Harry Paul was drowned on December 3, 1938.

Ethel Holbrook '22 on the death of her brother in March, following a long illness.

Esther Harper Gatewood '21, on the sudden death of her husband, Dr. Gatewood, on May 22.

Mary Wilson '08 on the death of her mother in Traer, Iowa, the first of May.



# ALUMNAE NEWS LETTER

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## Alumnae News and Views from Everywhere

### MISS RUSSELL RETIRES

Although we have known for some time of Miss Russell's desire to retire, it is with a distinct feeling of loss that we realize the actual moment has arrived. She has personified the School to all of us for so many years that it is almost impossible to think of it without her. She has watched and helped the School grow from the time she first arrived at Presbyterian, in 1904, as Head Nurse on 4th Jones. Miss Russell has written us this characteristic little note of farewell:

Dear Alumnae:

The time has come to say good-bye. It has been a long and a pleasant association which we have had. I think many times of the years from the time when I was an astounded Head Nurse on 4th Floor until today, when I step out of the organization.

I wish to say that one of the outstanding attributes that I have always appreciated in my association with the nurses has been their unfailing good temper, good manners, and the desire to learn. I truly hope you are, and will be, happy in this profession, for as I have said so many times to you, "a good nurse is a happy nurse."

I wish to express my pleasure in the many letters I have received from members of the Alumnae, and for the delightful afternoon given to say good-bye. Also the gift enclosed with the letter I shall always keep (not the gift—the letter!). Bon Voyage.

May L. Russell.

We also present this message from the President of the Alumnae:

It is with sincere regret that we learn of Miss Russell's retirement as Dean of our School of Nursing. Words cannot adequately express what Miss Russell's guiding influence has meant to every student who has ever enrolled in our School. A deeply grateful group wish Miss Russell Godspeed as

she enters upon this new era of leisure time.

May she enjoy to the utmost those numerous interesting activities for which she has yearned, but for which she has found little time while guiding the destinies of a very busy and progressive School with its many students.

Charlotte F. Landt.

To Miss Rosamond Russell, who has so carefully and efficiently looked after our School library through the years, we also regretfully say good-bye, but hope that she will find her days filled with many pleasant moments.

Although Miss Russell and her sister have not made any immediate plans, we feel sure that their first move after October 1 will be a long and well-deserved vacation and rest, and all our very best wishes go with them.

### OPEN HOUSE

The Open House for Miss Russell on September 26 took the form of a Dutch tea, with the refreshments, table decorations and entertainment all giving quite a Holland air. There was a very large attendance of graduates and undergraduates who came to pay their respects to Miss Russell, and she was presented with a check for \$500 as a gift from the Alumnae Association. Miss McMillan, who has returned to Evanston after a long visit in the East, came in to join with us in saying good-bye and good luck to Miss Russell.

### MISS ROGERS TAKES OVER

Miss Dorothy Rogers '21 began her duties as Director of the School of Nursing on September 5, and is busily at work getting acquainted with her new family and their needs and demands. Again we sincerely wish Miss Rogers much success and happiness, and assure her of the whole-hearted cooperation of all the Alumnae.



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### ALUMNAE SOCIAL CALENDAR

Tuesday, September 26. 3-5 P. M., Sprague Home. Open House for all graduates and undergraduates of our School to honor Miss May L. Russell who is retiring after many years of service as Dean of the School of Nursing, and Acting Director for the past year.

Tuesday, October 3. 7:15 P. M., Sprague Home. Annual Open Meeting of the Alumnae Association, at which time it is hoped that members of the graduating class and members of the Association will join in a general discussion of the reciprocal relations between individual members of our profession and our various professional organizations. Refreshments will be served.

Friday, October 6. 1:30 P. M., Wedgewood Room, Marshall Field & Co. Annual Alumnae Luncheon. Again our luncheon will assume the role of a double function. It not only will repeat the traditional custom of honoring our graduating class, but it also will afford us all an opportunity to greet Miss Dorothy Rogers, a Sister Alumna, and wish her success and happiness in her new position as Director of Nursing.

Saturday, November 11. 8 P. M., Imperial Room, Medinah Club. Dinner and dance. As a part of Homecoming festivities, the Association is giving a dinner and dance. Guests may attend either or both of these functions, as the dinner will precede the dance. For tickets and reservations, see Marcella Kurtz '27, Chairman of the Social Committee, at 1750 W. Congress St.

### COMMENCEMENT ACTIVITIES

Thursday, October 5. 6 P. M., Sprague Home. Senior dinner.

Sunday, October 8. 7:45 P. M., Baccalaureate Services at 3rd Presbyterian Church at Ashland and Ogden Avenues.

Tuesday, October 10. 3 P. M., Sprague Home. Graduation services.

### IMPORTANT NOTICE

Vacation days have come to an end except for the memories of those pleasant times that pass all too quickly, and

October's approach reminds us all of the many important tasks that await us. Our Alumnae Association is no exception, and fully recognizes the many obligations to be fulfilled during the coming year. Our organization, however, will find it extremely difficult to meet many of the demands placed upon it unless its individual members share in these responsibilities. Their attendance at all meetings and their frank discussion of all proposals presented at these meetings earnestly is solicited by all officers of the Association.

An increased membership in our Alumnae Association is vitally important to the success of its many projects, and present members are asked to remind all graduates from our School that all dues paid for new memberships during the remaining three months of this year will also cover membership for 1940.

PLEASE KEEP US INFORMED OF ALL CHANGES IN NAME AND ADDRESS. If you do not receive the announcements regarding the Open House, Annual Luncheon or other Alumnae activities, it is because the Association has not been informed of recent changes in name or address. If notices of meetings are not received, it is for the same reason. If the News Letter does not reach its destination, it is because you have not informed us of the right destination. Only first-class mail is forwarded without extra postage.

You, yourself, are the loser, and may remain in ignorance of some very important developments simply because you have not taken the time to inform your Alumnae Association or your Alma Mater of your whereabouts.

Charlotte F. Landt, President.

### ALUMNAE ACTIVITIES

#### 1909

The many friends of Miss Bessie Ruwitch will be glad to learn that she has returned to her home in Norway, Michigan, after being a patient at Presbyterian in July.

#### 1914

Mary Williams Stanley is planning to visit in Chicago early in October when Dr. Stanley comes down from Worthington, Minnesota, to attend the Academy of Ophthalmology and Otolaryngology.



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### 1922

Harriet Klein, formerly Professor of Medical Nursing at Vanderbilt University in Nashville, Tennessee, has been appointed Director of Nurses at Tacoma General Hospital, Tacoma, Washington.

### 1926

Jean South is a member of the staff of the Community Service Society of New York, the largest non-sectarian private family welfare society in the country. She is in the Tuberculosis Division, the only welfare agency where nurses do family case work as well as Public Health nursing. She is attending the New York School of Social Work as a part-time student.

### 1929

Grayce Borgman writes that she is working now with the Papago Indians in Sells, Arizona, and finds them an interesting tribe. Although not as good-natured or picturesque as some of the tribes, they are easier to deal with because they have had more education.

### 1930

Pearl Garnaas writes that she is enjoying her work as clinical instructor very much. She is at Children's Hospital, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

### 1932

Anna May Shaw Jens and little son from San Francisco visited the School during September.

Ila Byers Corson is planning to resume her nursing activities in the near future.

### 1933

Alice Miller Curtis tells us she is kept quite busy by her year-old daughter, Barbara Ann, in Hoquiam, Washington, where Dr. Curtis is in general practice and X-ray.

Lee Anna Todd Myers visited the Home with her small son in August.

### 1934

Lillian Smies sailed from New York on July 19 to begin her mission work in Vellore, South India.

### 1935

Alice Studer has left to begin her duties as Nursing Instructor at the Decatur-Macon County Hospital in Decatur, Illinois, where Miss Marjory McLachlan who was formerly an instructor in our School, has reorganized and reopened the School of Nursing.

### 1937

Dorothy M. Larson has been taking a Post-graduate course in obstetrics at Boston Lying-In Hospital, and will return to Presbyterian when she finishes on November 1.

### 1938

Adah Van Oss, Anne Husiak, Jeanne Strom, Ruth Bergstrom, Irene Schermerhorn, are all working at Stanford University Hospital in San Francisco, where Emma Rodenback '36 is beginning her second year of duty.

## SPECIAL COURSES

Many of our graduates take special courses from time to time, in the field of nursing of their choice. Among them are Ione Williams '33 and Miriam Slight '36, members of the staff of the Waterloo, Iowa, Visiting Nurse Association, who were granted leaves of absence this summer to take Public Health work at the University of Minnesota. Others are Beatrice Bozarth '20 and Jessie Waddell '33 who will finish their Physiotherapy course at Northwestern University on December 12 and return to their work with crippled children under the Illinois Department of Public Health.

### 1916

Verda Hickox, Head of the Obstetrical and Gynecological Instruction and Service at New York Hospital, New York, appeared on the program of the American Congress on Obstetrics and Gynecology, which was held in Cleveland, Ohio, September 11-15.

### 1921

Jessie Stevenson, formerly with the Infantile Division of the Chicago VNA, has gone to New York to begin her work as Orthopedic Consultant for the NOPHN.

### 1930

Gertrude McCord, who has been Instructor and Supervisor at Children's Memorial Hospital, has resigned to carry on her studies at the University of Chicago.

## MARRIAGES

Mildred Neevel '34 to Reverend James W. Paul on March 1 in St. Louis. At home in Valliant, Oklahoma.

Elaine Goodrick '38 to Dr. Barton M. Eveleth on June 15 in Fond du Lac, Wisconsin.



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Elizabeth Kempers '36 to Dr. Edward H. Heneveld on June 17 in Sioux Center, Iowa. At home 246 E. Alexandrine Avenue, Detroit, Michigan.

Mary Mildred Negley '28 to Mr. Francis F. Parker on June 24 in Villa Park.

Angie Vanden Berg to Dr. George T. R. Fahlund on June 29 in Grand Rapids, Michigan.

Sara Metcalf '32 to Mr. Donald H. McGeorge, Jr., of Cleveland Heights, Ohio, on July 29 in Jamestown, New York.

Florence Eva Johnson '35 to Mr. Gerald W. Moore on August 19 in Grand Rapids, Michigan. Mrs. Moore is in the Operating Room at Presbyterian.

Glyde Leach '23 to Mr. Frank L. Hill. At home, British Embassy, Peking, China.

Tena Havinga '37 to Mr. Theodore S. Renzema on August 22 in Holland, Michigan. At home, Alkire Apartments, West La Fayette, Indiana.

Valentine Watts '38 to Mr. E. F. Wandel on September 2 at 4th Presbyterian Church, Chicago. Mrs. Wandel is 1st Hour nurse in the Examining Room.

Gladys Hansen '32 to Mr. Stanley Pierce on September 16. Mrs. Pierce will continue on E Floor at Presbyterian.

Carrie Belle Burgess '39 to Reverend Paul Whiteside on September 15 at 3rd Presbyterian Church, Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Whiteside will be in charge of student activities at the Church. At home, 1612 W. Adams St.

Lois Geerds '38 to Mr. Sewell Fairbanks on September 16 in Holland, Michigan. At home, Grand Haven, Michigan.

Carlanthia Parks '19 to Mr. Edward J. Johnston of Hollywood, California, in July. Mrs. Johnston will continue her nursing activities.

Florence McCullah '35 to Mr. Robert O. Klenze on August 26. Mrs. Klenze will continue with her Infant Welfare work in the Dispensary.

Margaret Kiddie '33 to Mr. R. A. Kox on August 26 in Chicago. At home 1205 Sherwin Avenue.

Alida Spawn '37 to Mr. Donald D. Merillat on August 11 in Chicago.

Katherine Livingston '29 to Mr. D. P. Davis on July 3. At home, 1416 South Glendale, Glendale, California.

Susan Haynes '39 to Dr. P. C. Kraatz on September 14 in Chicago.

### BIRTHS

Richard Whitmore to Dr. and Mrs. Francis M. Lyle (Grace Koontz '37) on June 29 at Presbyterian Hospital.

David Deuth to Dr. and Mrs. Robert Stewart (Marjorie Deuth '33) on September 18, in Denver, Colorado.

Joseph Eldridge, Jr., to Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Markee (Myrtle Clapp '27) on August 2 at Palo Alto, California.

Norman Clark to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Pate (Marion Hartz '30) on August 11 at Presbyterian Hospital.

Kenneth Eric to Captain and Mrs. K. R. Nelson (Mary Fariss '32) on August 7 at Washington, D. C.

Burgess Carl to Mr. and Mrs. John Budd (Valeska Behrens '31) on August 5 at Presbyterian Hospital.

Margaret Louise to Dr. and Mrs. Francis Brown (Beulah Jones '35) in Hanover, New Hampshire.

Harold Mackenzie to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Nason (Jean Mackenzie '36) on August 18 in Hollywood, California.

Pamela Catherine to Mr. and Mrs. Henry P. Prehler (Assunda Berardi '30) on August 19 in Chicago.

Harold Cheney to Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur T. Parish (Cleo Cheney '30) on July 8 in Richwood, Ohio.